

REMARKS

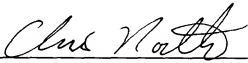
Entry of the foregoing and further and favorable consideration of the subject application in view of the following comments is respectfully requested.

By the present amendment, a substitute paper copy and computer form of the Sequence Listing is submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.825. The Sequence Listing has been corrected pursuant to the Notice to Comply mailed October 21, 2002.

No new matter has been added by the present Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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